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## **Petition for Cancellation**

Notice is hereby given that the following party requests to cancel indicated registration.

### **Petitioner Information**

Name	Sales Force Systems, LLC		
Entity	Limited Liability Company	Citizenship	Ohio
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## Registration Subject to Cancellation

Registration No	2684824	Registration date	02/04/2003
Registrant	salesforce.com, inc. 101 Spear Street, Suite 203 San Francisco, CA 94105 UNITED STATES		

# Goods/Services Subject to Cancellation

Class 042. First Use: 1999/09/27 First Use In Commerce: 1999/09/27

All goods and services in the class are cancelled, namely: Providing temporary use of on-line nondownloadable software for storing, managing, tracking and analyzing data in the field of marketing, promotion, sales, customer information management, customer support services and employee efficiency; providing temporary use of on-line non-downloadable software to create statistical and management reports on marketing, promotion, sales, customer information management, customer support services and employee efficiency; providing temporary use of on-line non-downloadable multimedia computer program for communicating with peer professionals; computer services, namely, designing, implementing, and maintaining computer software for others; providing internal company computer networks; providing search engines for obtaining a wide variety of data on a global computer network

## Grounds for Cancellation

Priority and likelihood of confusion	Trademark Act section 2(d)
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# Mark Cited by Petitioner as Basis for Cancellation

U.S. Application/	NONE	Application Date	NONE
Registration No.			

Registration Date	NONE
Word Mark	SALES FORCE SYSTEMS
Goods/Services	providing temporary use of on-line non-downloadable software for storing, managing, tracking and analyzing data in the field of marketing, promotion, sales, customer information management, customer support services and employee efficiency; providing temporary use of on-line non-downloadable software to create statistical and management reports on marketing, promotion, sales, customer information management, customer support services and employee efficiency; providing temporary use of on-line non-downloadable multimedia computer program for communicating with peer professionals; computer services, namely, designing, implementing, and maintaining computer software for others; providing internal company computer networks; providing search engines for obtaining a wide variety of data on a global computer network

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In the Matter of Registration No.: 2684824

Trademark: SALESFORCE.COM

Issued: February 4, 2003

Sales Force Systems, LLC

Petitioner,

- against -

salesforce.com, Inc.

Registrant.

Cancellation No.:

PETITION FOR CANCELLATION

September 19, 2007

Trademark Trial and Appeal Board U.S. Patent and Trademark Office P.O. Box 1451 Alexandria, VA 22313-1451

#### PETITION FOR CANCELLATION

Petitioner Sales Force Systems, LLC, a statutory institution of the State of Ohio, located at 8260 Northcreek Drive, Suite 240; Cincinnati, OH 45236; believes that it is being damaged by Registration No. 2684824 and hereby petitions to cancel same on the following grounds:

1. Upon information and belief, Registrant, salesforce.com, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Delaware, and doing business at: The Landmark @ One Market Street, Suite 300; San Francisco, CA 94105; is the owner of United States Trademark Registration No. 2684824 for SALESFORCE.COM in International Class

- Registrant claims a date of first use of the SALESFORCE.COM mark on September 27, 1999.
- 3. Petitioner is the owner of right and current user of the mark SALES FORCE SYSTEMS in connection with providing temporary use of on-line non-downloadable software for storing, managing, tracking and analyzing data in the field of marketing, promotion, sales, customer information management, customer support services and employee efficiency; providing temporary use of on-line non-downloadable software to create statistical and management reports on marketing, promotion, sales, customer information management, customer support services and employee efficiency; providing temporary use of on-line non-downloadable multimedia computer program for communicating with peer professionals; computer services, namely, designing, implementing, and maintaining computer software for others; providing internal company computer networks; providing search engines for obtaining a wide variety of data on a global computer network; hereinafter referred to as "the Services". Petitioner has used the mark SALES FORCE SYSTEMS since at least as early as 1984
- Petitioner's SALES FORCE SYSTEMS mark is inherently distinctive as used in connection with the Services.
  - 5. In addition, Petitioner's SALES FORCE SYSTEMS mark has been used in

connection with the Services for more than twenty years – long before Registrant first used its SALESFORCE.COM mark. As a result of Petitioner's widespread and longstanding use of the trademarks in connection with the Services, Petitioner's SALES FORCE SYSTEMS mark has acquired greater distinctiveness and extensive goodwill, and are well known and recognized by consumers and the trade as identifying the services that are affiliated with or have been authorized by Petitioner.

- 6. Registrant's services are closely related to Petitioner's services and, upon information and belief, have been promoted through the same channels of trade. Hence, Registrant's use of the mark SALESFORCE.COM in connection with in connection with the Services, is likely to cause confusion, mistake or deception as to the source of origin of Registrant's services in that the public, the trade and others are likely to believe that Registrant's services are provided by, sponsored by, approved by, licensed by, affiliated with or in some other way legitimately connected to Petitioner.
- 7. Moreover, the continued existence of Registrant's SALESFORCE.COM registration casts a cloud upon Petitioner's right to continue to use and to expand the use of its SALES FORCE SYSTEMS mark.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner believes that it will be damaged by Registration No. 2684824 and prays that this Petition for Cancellation be sustained in favor of Petitioner, that judgment be entered against Registrant and that U.S. Trademark Registration No. 2684824 be canceled.

Dated: September 19, 2007

Respectfully Submitted,

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#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that an electronic Petition to Cancel in relation to the mark SALESFORCE.COM, Registration 2684824 was filed, along with required fees to

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and that a copy of this PETITION FOR CANCELLATION has been served, today, September 19, 2007, first class postage pre-paid, upon:

Office of the General Counsel salesforce.com, Inc.

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